**R1049 - Rumination for Mar. 09, 2025**

The **T**heme: **The** **Woman** [berita-bethel-ung.com](http://www.berita-bethel-ung.com)

The **T**ext: *This is now bone of my bones, and flesh of my flesh:*

 *she shall be called* ***Woman****, because she was taken out of Man* Gen. 2:22, 23

The **T**hots:

Yesterday, March 8, was ***International Woman’s Day***. The **W**orld has **W**oken up to the ideologies of **W**OKE,

that sadly cannot define **WOMAN** per se **–** she is a **T**ransgender creation whose gender is X, *neither male nor female*! We need to **WAKE** up to the **T**hreats of **WOKE**!!

*And that, knowing ﻿the time, ﻿that now it is high time ﻿to* ***awake*** *out of sleep:*

*for now is our salvation nearer than when ﻿we believed* Rom. 13:11

What does God’s **W**ord teach about the **W**oman?

1. **The Rights of the Woman in Creation Order.**
2. Before the Fall.
3. Both Man and Woman were Created in the **I**mage of God. Gen. 1:26, 27a

*God said, Let Us make man in Our image, after Our likeness: So God created man in His Own image.*

1. Both Man and Woman were Created **I**nherently **D**istinct – *male and female*! Gen. 1:27b

 *In the image of God created He* ***him****; ﻿male and female created He* ***them****.*

i*.* Man was Formed from the *dust* of the earth and given a **S**oul.Gen. 2:7

 *And the Lord God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils*

 *the breath of life; and man became a living soul.*

ii*.* The Woman was formed from Adam’s **S**ide (*rib*):Gen. 2:22

 *The rib, which the Lord God had taken from man, made He a woman, and brought her unto the man.*

1. Both Man and Woman were **C**reated **D**iffer**ent**ly… (there’s no transgender between the two)
2. …**yet** both are to **C**omple**ment** each other! Gen. 2:22–23

*And the rib, which the Lord God had taken from man, ﻿made He a woman,*

*and brought her unto the man. And Adam said, This is now ﻿bone of my bones, and flesh of my flesh: she shall be called ﻿Woman, because she was ﻿taken out of ﻿Man*

1. …**yet** both are to **C**ling to and Supple**ment** each other – both are one. Gen. 5:2

***Male and female*** *created He them; and blessed them, and called* ***their name******Adam****.*

1. **… yet** both are to **C**leave to one another –Gen. 2:22
* *God said, It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him an help meet for him.* 2:18
* *The rib which the Lord God had taken from man, made He a woman, and brought her unto the man.*

*And Adam said, This is now bone of my bones, and flesh of my flesh: she shall be called* ***Woman****, because she was taken out of Man* Gen. 2:23

* *Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother, and shall cleave unto his wife:*

*and they shall be one flesh.* Gen. 2:24

1. After the Fall Man and Woman had separate **R**oles and **R**esponsibilities:
2. The Man’s Punishment: to **L**abour in **L**ife until Death: Gen. 3:17, 19-20

*In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread, till thou return unto the ground;*

*for out of it wast thou taken: ﻿for dust thou art, and ﻿unto dust shalt thou return.*

1. The Woman’s Punishment: to “**L**abour” in **L**ove and to own Man’s **L**eadership. Gen. 3:16
2. She would **L**abour in Birth –

*I will greatly multiply thy sorrow and thy conception; in sorrow thou shalt bring forth children*

1. She would **L**ive under her **H**usband’s **H**eadship –

*and thy desire shall be to thy husband, and he shall rule over thee* Gen. 3:16

*And Adam called his wife’s name Eve; because she was the mother of all living.* Gen. 3:20

1. Both to acknowledge the **L**ord’s **L**eadership*:*
* *But I would have you know, that ﻿the head of every man is Christ;*

*and ﻿the head of the woman is the man; and ﻿the head of Christ is God.* 1 Co 11:3.

* *Wives, ﻿submit yourselves unto your own husbands, ﻿as unto the Lord.* Eph. 5:22; Col. 3:18
1. **The Rights of the Man and Woman in Redemption Order. Gal. 3:26-29**
2. All are **S**ons and Daughters of God – *all the children of God by faith in Christ Jesus.* 3:26; Jn. 1:12
3. All are of the **S**ame **S**tatus – *neither male nor female* 3:28
4. All are of the **S**eed of Abraham – *then are ye Abraham’s seed.*  3:29
5. All have faith in Christ – *For ﻿ye are all the children of God by faith in Christ Jesus.* 3:26.
6. All have been baptized into Christ – *For ﻿as many of you as have been baptized into Christ*. 3:27
7. All *have put on Christ.*  3:27
8. ﻿…*ye are All one in Christ Jesus* 3:28
9. All are Christ's – *And if ﻿ye be Christ’s*  3:29
10. **The Rights, Roles and Responsibilities of the Virtuous Woman in God’s Order.** **Cf. Pro. 31**

Just as Jesus, as Son of God knows His **R**ights. **R**oles and **R**esponsibilities **Phil. 2:5-11**

*Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus:*

1. **His Rights:** *Who, ﻿being in the ﻿form of God, thought it not ﻿robbery to be ﻿equal with God:*
2. **His Role***: But ﻿made Himself of no reputation, and took upon Him the form of ﻿a servant,*

*and ﻿was made in the likeness of men:*

1. **His Responsibility***: And being found in ﻿﻿fashion as a man, ﻿He humbled himself, and ﻿became obedient unto death, even ﻿the death of the cross.*
2. **His Regality:** *Wherefore ﻿God also hath ﻿highly exalted Him, and given Him ﻿a name which is above every name: that at the name of Jesus ﻿every knee should bow, of ﻿﻿things in heaven, and ﻿﻿things in earth, and ﻿﻿things under the earth; And ﻿that every tongue should confess that Jesus ﻿Christ is ﻿Lord, to the glory of God the Father.*

May the Man and the Woman in Christ also know their **R**ights, **R**oles and **R**esponsibilities

at the **R**emembrance Feast today and give Him all the **R**everence due to Him. I Cor. 11:3-34

*As man and* ***woman*** *we were made That love be found and life begun,*

*So praise the Lord who made us two, And praise the Lord when two are one;*

 *Praise for the love that comes to life Through child or parent, husband, wife.* Brian Wren

**Points To Ponder: *W****ake Up today to the Wicked Ideologies of WOKE*

*and be the Man and* ***W****oman of the* ***W****ord of God that God has appointed you to be.*